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Mr. Clayton Stocks S & S Mining Company P.O. Box 907 Moab, Utah 84532

Dear Mr. Stocks:

Re: Site Inspection, Red Rock Mine, M/037/050

A recent site inspection of the Red Rock Mine by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (DOGM) delineated several problems that need to be corrected. The Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act and MSHA regulations require that unattended mine openings be restricted by gates or doors to prevent unauthorized or accidental entry. Trash, scrap metal, wood, and other debris incident to mining must be disposed of in a manner that is in accordance with State Health regulations.

Site cleanup and gate installation should be accomplished at your earliest convenience, but no later than September of this year. Please notify us when this work has been done. If you should have any questions, contact me or Frank Filas of my staff.

Also, the 1986 Annual Report for the Red Rock Mine is overdue. It appears that the Red Rock has been on standby for sometime and that most of the requested information is not applicable. Rather than fill out this form, please send us a short letter stating when the mine shut down and what your current plans are for the mine. The Division can require reclamation of inactive mines, but normal procedure is to allow for a suspension period if the mine site is kept in good shape.

Sincerely,

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